

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NORTH DAKOTA**

State of North Dakota,

Plaintiff,

v.

Case No. 1:19-cv-150

United States of America,

Defendant.

Clerk's Minutes of Proceedings

The Honorable Daniel M. Traynor

Date: July 21, 2020

Bismarck, North Dakota

Time: 1:30 p.m.

Court Reporter: Ronda Colby

Recess: 4:20 p.m.

Proceeding: Motion Hearing - Motion to Dismiss for Lack
Of Subject Matter Jurisdiction

Clerk: Judy L. Reile

Appearances:

ND Attorney General Wayne Stenehjem and ND Special Assistant Attorney General Paul
M. Seby, Attorneys for Plaintiff State of North Dakota
Grant Treaster, AUSA, for Defendant United States of America

Court in session.

Court notes counsel appearances.

Court reviews procedural history of the case and purpose of hearing.

Court reviews guidelines regarding use of face masks in the courtroom.

Mr. Treaster presents oral argument on behalf of the Defendant.

Court inquires.

Mr. Stenehjem presents history of case on behalf of Plaintiff.

Mr. Seby presents oral argument on behalf of Plaintiff.

Plaintiff's Exhibits 1 through 8 (8 1/2" X 11" copies of oversized exhibits) offered and received
into evidence.

Court inquires.

Plaintiff's oversized versions of Exhibits 2, 3A and 4A and 4B presented to Court.

Recess 3:45 p.m. to 3:55 p.m.

Parties present in Courtroom - 3:55 p.m.

Oral argument of Plaintiff, continued.

Plaintiff's oversized versions of Exhibits 5, 6, 7 and 8 presented to Court.

Mr. Treaster presents rebuttal oral argument on behalf of the Defendant.

Court inquires.

Court takes matter under advisement.

A written order will be issued at a later date.

Court in recess.